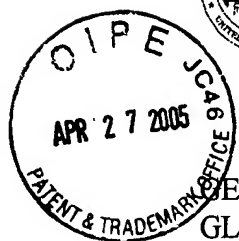


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This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given 30 days from the mail date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136 (a) or (b).

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Sir:

In a Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed 3/17/2005, it was stated that 1st and 2nd attorney names are illegible on the PTOL-85 (Fee sheet) submitted for this case and that this asserted informality required correction. Applicants respectfully submit that the space allotted on the PTOL-85 form was intentionally left blank, and therefore no correction is required.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul DiConza".

Paul DiConza

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